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Key: a - asked price  
b - bid price  
n - nominal quotation

The open contract figures shown in this publication are the aggregates of positions long (or short) carried on the books of clearing members.





Table 1. WHEAT: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets  
February 1949

Date	: Chicago : Board of : Trade	: Minneapolis : Grain : Exchange	: Kansas City : Board of : Trade	: Other : contract : markets	: Total
1949 February	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	12,957	1,380	2,008	530	16,875
2	13,303	885	2,434	584	17,206
3	13,809	1,205	2,323	564	17,901
4	21,778	1,200	2,895	611	26,484
5	19,614	1,446	2,742	411	24,213
Sunday					
7	13,486	1,493	3,236	363	18,578
8	22,733	1,981	4,437	481	29,632
9	28,327	2,683	4,856	722	36,588
10	15,726	1,540	2,961	413	20,640
11	11,478	1,173	2,838	474	15,963
Holiday Sunday					
14	14,769	1,196	2,614	435	19,014
15	18,214	2,610	3,617	502	24,943
16	12,243	2,058	3,413	434	18,148
17	12,607	1,913	3,068	407	17,995
18	15,640	2,117	2,871	577	21,205
19	10,522	1,164	2,444	313	14,443
Sunday					
21	7,994	2,286	1,629	226	12,135
Holiday					
23	14,399	2,814	2,528	552	20,293
24	8,643	2,086	4,186	393	15,308
25	16,008	2,942	4,854	547	24,351
26	12,126	3,053	3,417	485	19,081
Sunday					
28	9,223	2,246	2,439	444	14,352
Total					
February 1949	325,599	41,471	67,810	10,468	445,348
January 1949	237,094	32,776	46,342	11,330	327,542
February 1948	378,187	26,105	65,734	13,098	483,124

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Table 2. WHEAT: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade  
February 1949

Date	Future				All futures
	May	July	September	December	
1949 February	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	8,709	2,892	852	504	12,957
2	8,686	3,056	886	675	13,303
3	9,231	2,810	922	846	13,809
4	13,865	5,197	1,581	1,135	21,778
5	11,490	5,072	1,812	1,240	19,614
Sunday					
7	8,466	3,288	1,018	714	13,486
8	13,458	5,343	1,879	2,052	22,733
9	16,297	7,141	2,620	2,269	28,327
10	9,985	3,848	878	1,015	15,726
11	7,415	2,898	689	476	11,478
Holiday Sunday					
14	9,143	3,828	1,061	737	14,769
15	9,573	5,980	1,802	859	18,214
16	6,545	4,012	1,143	543	12,243
17	7,293	3,759	975	580	12,607
18	9,382	4,467	1,206	585	15,640
19	5,960	2,940	980	642	10,522
Sunday					
21	4,462	2,188	804	540	7,994
Holiday					
23	8,658	4,190	903	648	14,399
24	5,577	1,987	756	323	8,643
25	10,942	3,440	977	649	16,008
26	6,784	3,508	1,043	791	12,126
Sunday					
28	5,872	2,357	742	252	9,223
Total					
February 1949	197,794	84,201	25,529	18,075	325,599
January 1949	158,904	55,995	15,601	6,594	237,094
February 1948	196,469	113,480	45,877	21,402	<u>1/</u> 378,187

1/ Includes 959 March future.



Table 3. WHEAT: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets  
February 1949

Date	: Chicago : Board of : Trade	: Minneapolis : Grain : Exchange	: Kansas City : Board of : Trade	: Other : contract : markets	: Total
1949	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
February	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
1	54,453	7,601	21,267	992	84,313
2	53,727	7,594	21,122	981	83,424
3	53,479	7,541	21,042	984	83,046
4	53,231	7,563	21,354	1,014	83,162
5	50,840	7,615	20,937	970	80,362
Sunday					
7	50,477	7,409	20,672	951	79,509
8	49,939	7,192	20,869	935	78,935
9	49,113	6,980	20,381	948	77,422
10	47,533	6,756	19,829	954	75,072
11	47,641	6,506	19,640	988	74,775
Holiday					
Sunday					
14	47,755	6,306	20,105	969	75,137
15	47,321	6,099	20,266	977	74,663
16	47,606	6,359	20,387	1,028	75,382
17	47,122	6,661	20,325	1,019	75,127
18	47,187	6,636	20,341	955	75,119
19	47,360	6,847	20,571	978	75,756
Sunday					
21	47,530	7,122	20,362	978	75,992
Holiday					
23	48,101	7,475	20,342	1,052	76,970
24	48,223	7,631	20,477	1,057	77,388
25	48,942	7,804	19,995	1,037	77,778
26	48,981	8,114	20,202	1,051	79,348
Sunday					
28	50,348	8,323	19,655	1,030	79,356



Table 4. WHEAT: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade  
February 1949

Date	Future				All futures
	May	July	September	December	
1949 February	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	34,491	12,867	4,784	2,311	54,453
2	33,760	12,762	4,739	2,466	53,727
3	33,342	12,641	4,840	2,656	53,479
4	32,663	12,680	4,945	2,943	53,231
5	30,974	11,734	5,008	3,124	50,840
Sunday					
7	30,522	11,763	5,006	3,186	50,477
8	29,567	11,597	5,235	3,520	49,939
9	28,370	11,650	5,303	3,790	49,113
10	27,039	11,297	5,434	3,763	47,533
11	26,576	11,698	5,595	3,772	47,641
Holiday Sunday					
14	26,364	11,803	5,664	3,924	47,755
15	25,677	12,008	5,690	3,546	47,321
16	25,515	12,237	5,736	4,120	47,608
17	24,736	12,381	5,838	4,167	47,122
18	24,474	12,586	5,811	4,316	47,187
19	24,204	12,798	5,955	4,403	47,360
Sunday					
21	24,254	12,729	5,909	4,638	47,530
Holiday					
23	24,310	13,157	5,933	4,701	48,101
24	24,222	13,322	6,002	4,677	48,223
25	23,958	13,791	6,391	4,802	48,942
26	24,303	14,337	6,451	4,890	49,981
Sunday					
28	24,575	14,321	6,564	4,868	50,348



日期	姓名	性别	年龄	民族	籍贯	学历	学位	职称	职务	备注
2000.12.31	张三	男	35	汉族	江苏	本科		讲师	系主任	
2000.12.31	李四	女	28	汉族	浙江	本科		助教	教研室主任	
2000.12.31	王五	男	42	汉族	山东	硕士		副教授	教授	
2000.12.31	赵六	女	38	汉族	湖北	本科		讲师	教授	
2000.12.31	孙七	男	30	汉族	广东	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	周八	女	25	汉族	四川	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	吴九	男	32	汉族	湖南	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	郑十	女	29	汉族	福建	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	冯十一	男	33	汉族	广西	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	陈十二	女	27	汉族	江西	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	林十三	男	31	汉族	河南	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	黄十四	女	26	汉族	安徽	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	周十五	男	34	汉族	山西	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	吴十六	女	29	汉族	陕西	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	郑十七	男	36	汉族	甘肃	本科		助教	教授	
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2000.12.31	林二十	女	27	汉族	新疆	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	黄二十一	男	31	汉族	内蒙古	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	周二十二	女	26	汉族	吉林	本科		助教	教授	
2000.12.31	吴二十三	男	34	汉族	辽宁	本科		助教	教授	
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Table 5. WHEAT: Daily closing prices at Chicago, Minneapolis and Kansas City  
February 1949

		1949 May future		
Date		Chicago	Minneapolis	Kansas City
		Board of	Grain	Board of
		Trade	Exchange	Trade
1949				
February	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
1	217 1/2-5/8	210 1/2		205 1/8-1/4
2	215 1/2-5/8	208		203 1/4-3/8
3	217	209 1/8 a		205-05 1/8
4	217 5/8-3/4	209 7/8		205 1/4-1/2
5	217 7/8-18 1/8	209 7/8		205 1/2-5/8
Sunday				
7	216-16 1/4	207 1/2		203 7/8
8	206 1/8 a	197 1/2 a		193 7/8
9	206-08 3/4	199		195 3/4-96
10	211 3/4-12 1/4	204 1/2		199 1/2-5/8
11	212-12 1/4	204 3/4		200
Holiday				
Sunday				
14	218-18 1/4	210 1/4		205 3/4-06
15	216-16 1/2	208 1/8		203 3/8-1/2
16	217-17 1/4	209 3/4		204 3/8
17	215 5/8-3/4	209 1/4		203 1/2
18	214 1/4-1/2	208		202 1/2-3/4
19	212 3/4-13	206 1/8-3/8		201 1/4
Sunday				
21	214 1/2 - 3/4	208 5/8		202 1/4-1/2
Holiday				
23	215 1/2-5/8	208 3/4		203 3/8
24	215 3/4-7/8	209 1/8		204
25	219 3/4-20	212 5/8-3/4		207 1/4-1/2
26	218 3/8-5/8	210 1/2		206 1/8-1/4
Sunday				
28	219 1/2-3/4	212 3/8		206 7/8



Table 6. WHEAT: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, February 1949

Date	1949 May future			1949 July future			1949 September future		
	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing
1949									
February									
1	:219 1/4	216 7/8	217 1/2-5/8	:204 1/4	201 3/4	202 1/4-3/8	:205 1/8	202 1/8	202 5/8-3/4
2	:217 7/8	215 3/8	215 1/2-5/8	:202 3/8	199 1/4	199 3/8-1/2	:203	200 1/8	200 1/4-3/8
3	:217 3/8	215 1/4	217	:201 5/8	199 1/8	201 3/8	:202 3/8	199 7/8	202 3/8
4	:217 7/8	215 1/2	217 5/8-3/4	:201 3/4	197 3/4	199	:202 1/2	198 3/4	199 1/4
5	:218 3/4	216 3/4	217 7/8-18 1/8	:200 1/2	197 1/4	199 3/8-1/2	:201 1/2	198 1/2	200 1/8-1/4
Sunday									
7	:219	215 1/2	216-16 1/4	:200 3/8	196 5/8	197	:201 1/8	197 1/4	198 1/4-1/2
8	:216	206 1/8	206 1/8 a	:197 1/4	187	187 a	:198 3/4	188 3/8	188 3/8 a
9	:209 1/4	196 1/2	208-08 3/4	:192	178 1/4	191-91 3/4	:192	180	191 3/4-92
10	:212 1/2	209	211 3/4-12 1/4	:194 1/2	191	193 1/4-1/2	:195 1/4	192	194 1/4
11	:212 1/2	209 3/4	212-12 1/4	:193	190 1/4	192 1/4-3/4	:193 1/2	191 1/2	192 1/4-1/2
Holiday									
Sunday									
14	:218 1/2	212	218-18 1/4	:198 1/4	191 1/2	197 3/4-98	:198 1/2	192 1/4	198-98 1/4
15	:217 3/4	214 1/2	216-16 1/2	:196 1/4	191	193 1/4-1/2	:197	192	194
16	:218 3/4	214 1/2	217-17 1/4	:194 7/8	191 1/4	193	:195 1/2	192 1/4	193 1/4-1/2
17	:219	215 3/8	215 5/8-5/4	:194 3/4	191 1/4	191 1/2-3/4	:195 1/4	191 1/2	192-92 1/4
18	:216 1/2	213	214 1/4-1/2	:193 1/2	188 3/4	192 1/4-1/2	:194	190	192 1/2-93
19	:214 1/2	212 1/4	212 3/4-13	:192	190	190 3/4-91	:192	190 1/4	191-91 1/2
Sunday									
21	:214 3/4	212 3/4	214 1/2-3/4	:192 1/4	190 1/4	191 5/8-3/4	:192 1/2	190 1/4	191 3/4
Holiday									
23	:217 1/8	214 5/8	215 1/2-5/8	:193 7/8	191 1/8	192 1/8-1/4	:193 7/8	191 1/4	192 1/8-1/4
24	:216 1/4	214 5/8	215 3/4-7/8	:192 3/8	190 5/8	191 5/8-7/8	:192 1/2	190 7/8	191 5/8-3/4
25	:220 3/4	215 3/4	219 3/4-20	:193 3/8	191 1/2	192 3/4-93 1/4	:193 1/2	191 1/2	192 5/8-3/4
26	:220	218 1/4	218 3/8-5/8	:194 1/2	192 1/4	192 7/8-93	:194 5/8	192 1/2	192 1/2-3/4
Sunday									
28	:220 1/2	217 3/4	219 1/2-3/4	:194 1/4	192 1/4	193 5/8-3/4	:194 1/8	192 1/4	193 7/8-94



Table 7. CORN: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets  
February 1949

Date	: Chicago : Board of : Trade	: Kansas City : Board of : Trade	: Other : contract : markets	: : :	Total
1949	1,000	1,000	1,000		1,000
February	bushels	bushels	bushels		bushels
1	18,734	---	386		19,120
2	19,437	---	306		19,743
3	19,550	---	328		19,878
4	31,539	25	438		32,002
5	20,028	---	253		20,281
Sunday					
7	18,316	15	395		19,726
8	28,304	15	428		28,747
9	33,597	---	437		34,034
10	21,113	10	295		21,418
11	14,734	15	305		15,054
Holiday					
Sunday					
14	18,918	10	462		19,390
15	19,145	---	346		19,491
16	13,331	15	317		13,663
17	15,467	---	286		15,753
18	11,187	---	260		11,447
19	10,884	---	314		11,198
Sunday					
21	8,778	---	208		8,986
Holiday					
23	13,092	---	376		13,468
24	11,245	---	316		11,561
25	15,088	10	408		15,506
26	9,091	15	252		9,358
Sunday					
28	14,600	10	324		14,934
Total					
February 1949	357,176	140	7,440		394,758
January 1949	243,804	310	5,660		249,774
February 1948	282,293	879	7,415		290,587





Table 8. CORN: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade  
February 1949

Date	Future				All futures
	May	July	September	December	
	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1949 February					
1	13,138	4,163	1,059	374	18,734
2	13,652	4,127	1,054	604	19,437
3	13,058	4,369	1,315	808	19,550
4	19,632	8,641	1,929	1,337	31,539
5	11,811	5,934	1,720	563	20,028
Sunday					
7	11,952	4,800	1,597	967	19,316
8	17,281	8,099	1,775	1,149	28,304
9	20,435	8,951	2,777	1,434	33,597
10	12,840	6,301	1,031	941	21,113
11	9,809	3,534	873	518	14,734
Holiday					
Sunday					
14	11,891	5,416	895	716	18,918
15	11,015	6,088	1,554	488	19,145
16	8,492	3,867	635	337	13,331
17	9,767	4,408	891	401	15,467
18	7,491	2,847	533	316	11,187
19	6,807	3,054	687	336	10,884
Sunday					
21	5,508	2,169	745	356	8,778
Holiday					
23	8,163	3,838	549	542	13,092
24	7,162	2,738	887	458	11,245
25	9,457	4,039	1,091	501	15,088
26	6,199	1,964	498	430	9,091
Sunday					
28	9,320	3,812	980	488	14,600
Total					
February 1949	244,860	103,159	25,075	14,064	387,178
January 1949	179,563	45,569	14,462	4,210	243,804
February 1948	142,962	62,520	42,317	34,494	282,293

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Table 9. CORN: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets  
February 1949

Date	: Chicago : Board of : Trade	: Kansas City : Board of : Trade	: Other : contract : markets	: Total
1949	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
<u>February</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
1	71,453	215	505	72,173
2	70,164	215	476	70,855
3	68,885	215	492	69,592
4	67,235	220	485	67,940
5	65,510	220	501	66,231
Sunday				
7	64,977	230	569	65,776
8	64,568	220	581	65,369
9	63,163	220	577	63,960
10	61,673	215	594	62,482
11	60,989	230	604	61,823
Holiday				
Sunday				
14	60,002	230	617	60,849
15	58,793	230	642	59,665
16	59,262	230	655	60,147
17	59,143	230	665	60,038
18	57,902	230	678	58,810
19	58,211	230	647	59,088
Sunday				
21	57,802	230	667	58,699
Holiday				
23	57,055	230	678	57,963
24	56,242	230	678	57,150
25	55,092	230	650	55,972
26	54,594	230	632	55,456
Sunday				
28	54,816	230	626	55,672



Table 10. CORN: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade  
February 1949

Date	Future					All futures
	May	July	September	December		
	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	
1949						
February						
1	39,335	25,325	5,293	1,500	71,453	
2	38,184	24,910	5,386	1,684	70,164	
3	37,216	24,424	5,349	1,896	68,885	
4	36,872	23,176	5,196	1,991	67,235	
5	35,702	22,608	6,192	2,008	65,510	
Sunday						
7	35,299	22,265	5,266	2,147	64,977	
8	34,398	22,209	5,381	2,580	64,568	
9	33,028	21,988	5,347	2,800	63,163	
10	32,402	21,406	5,196	2,669	61,673	
11	31,817	21,308	5,213	2,651	60,989	
Holiday						
Sunday						
14	31,113	20,828	5,337	2,724	60,002	
15	30,589	20,515	5,061	2,628	58,793	
16	30,892	20,532	5,186	2,652	59,262	
17	30,811	20,542	5,166	2,624	59,143	
18	30,020	20,083	5,145	2,654	57,902	
19	30,541	19,866	5,094	2,710	58,211	
Sunday						
21	30,408	19,474	5,164	2,756	57,802	
Holiday						
23	29,938	19,243	5,114	2,760	57,055	
24	29,449	18,929	5,063	2,801	56,242	
25	28,779	18,461	5,000	2,852	55,092	
26	28,500	18,158	5,008	2,928	54,594	
Sunday						
28	28,837	17,948	4,994	3,037	54,816	



Table 11. CORN: Daily closing prices at Chicago and Kansas City  
February 1949

		1949 May future		
Date	:	Chicago	:	Kansas City
	:	Board of	:	Board of
	:	Trade	:	Trade
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1949				
<u>February</u>		<u>Cents</u>		<u>Cents</u>
1		137 5/8-3/4		132 1/4
2		135 1/8-3/8		129 3/4
3		133 3/4-34		129
4		127 3/4-28		123
5		127 1/4-3/8		121 3/4
Sunday				
7		124 1/4-1/2		119 3/4
8		116 3/8 a		111 3/4
9		121 1/2-22 1/4		116
10		124 1/4-3/4		119
11		124 1/2-3/4		119 1/2
Holiday				
Sunday				
14		130-30 1/4		125
15		129 1/4-1/2		124 1/2
16		129 5/8-3/4		125 1/2
17		129 3/8-1/2		124 3/4
18		128 3/8-1/2		124
19		125 3/4-26		122 1/2
Sunday				
21		126 3/4-7/8		122 5/8
Holiday				
23		128 3/8-1/2		124
24		130 1/4-3/8		125
25		131 1/2-3/4		128
26		132 3/8-1/2		128 1/2
Sunday				
28		134-34 1/8		131 1/2





Table 12. CORN: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, February 1949

Date	1949 May future			1949 July future			1949 September future		
	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing
1949									
February									
1	:140	137 1/4	137 5/8-3/4	:141	138 1/2	138 1/2-7/8	:137 7/8	135 5/8	135 5/8
2	:138 1/8	135	135 1/8-3/8	:139	135 5/8	135 3/4-7/8	:135 3/4	132 1/4	132 1/4
3	:135 1/4	133 1/2	133 3/4-3/4	:135 3/4	134	134-3/4 1/4	:132	129 7/8	130 1/4
4	:134 3/4	127 5/8	127 3/4-28	:134 3/4	126 1/2	126 1/2-27 1/2	:131 3/8	123	123-23 1/4
5	:128	125 1/4	127 1/4-3/8	:128	125 3/8	127-27 1/4	:124 1/8	121	124
Sunday									
7	:123	123 7/8	124 1/4-1/2	:129	124 1/8	124 1/4-25	:125 1/2	121 5/8	121 3/4
8	:124 5/8	116 3/8	116 3/8 a	:125 1/4	116 5/8	116 5/8	:122 1/4	113 3/4	113 3/4 a
9	:122 1/4	110	121 1/2-22 1/4	:123	110 1/8	122-23	:120	108	119 1/2-20
10	:126	121	124 1/4-3/4	:127	121 1/2	124 3/4-25 1/4	:122 1/2	118 1/4	121 1/2-22
11	:124 7/8	121 3/4	124 1/2-3/4	:125	122	124 1/2-3/4	:121	118 1/2	120 3/4-21
Holiday									
Sunday									
14	:130 7/8	125 1/4	130-30 1/4	:131	125 1/4	130-30 1/2	:126	121	125 1/2-3/4
15	:130 1/2	126 3/4	129 1/4-1/2	:130 1/4	126	128 1/2-3/4	:125 3/4	121 5/8	123 5/8-3/4
16	:131 1/4	127 1/2	129 5/8-3/4	:130 3/8	126 1/2	129-29 3/8	:126	121 3/4	124 1/4-1/2
17	:131 3/4	128 5/8	129 3/8-1/2	:131 1/8	128 1/8	129 1/8-1/4	:126 1/4	123 1/4	124 1/8-1/4
18	:130 1/4	127 5/8	128 3/8-1/2	:129 3/4	127 1/4	128 3/8-1/2	:125	122 1/4	124
19	:128	125 1/2	125 3/4-26	:127 3/4	125 5/8	125 7/8-26	:123	121 1/8	121 3/8-1/2
Sunday									
21	:127 1/2	125 7/8	126 3/4-7/8	:127 1/8	125	126 1/2-5/8	:122 3/4	121	122 1/4
Holiday									
23	:129 1/2	127 3/4	128 3/8-1/2	:129	127 1/4	128-28 1/4	:124 5/8	123	123 3/4
24	:130 3/8	128 3/8	130 1/4-3/8	:129 3/4	127 5/8	129 5/8-3/4	:125	123	124 3/4-25
25	:132 3/8	129 7/8	131 1/2-3/4	:131	129 1/8	130 3/8-1/2	:125 5/8	124 1/4	124 7/8-25
26	:133 1/4	130 7/8	132 3/8-1/2	:131 5/8	129 3/4	131-31 1/8	:125 5/8	124	125 1/4
Sunday									
28	:135	131 1/8	134-3/4 1/8	:133 1/4	130	132 1/4-3/8	:126 5/8	124 1/4	125 1/2-5/8





Table 13. OATS: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets  
February 1949

Date	: Chicago Board of Trade	: Minneapolis Grain Exchange	: Other contract markets	: Total
1949 February	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	3,607	353	29	3,989
2	6,206	871	109	7,186
3	4,310	655	14	4,979
4	5,024	647	91	5,762
5	3,215	382	65	3,662
Sunday				
7	3,427	640	35	4,102
8	9,195	1,176	126	10,497
9	10,601	1,632	79	12,312
10	5,962	728	47	6,737
11	4,889	582	85	5,556
Holiday				
Sunday				
14	6,588	577	44	7,209
15	4,579	455	41	5,075
16	4,476	565	62	5,103
17	4,297	484	104	4,885
18	3,382	467	55	3,904
19	3,815	445	93	4,353
Sunday				
21	2,264	411	29	2,704
Holiday				
23	3,232	715	58	4,005
24	2,252	480	69	2,801
25	3,622	298	56	3,976
26	2,151	254	12	2,417
Sunday				
28	2,161	254	4	2,419
Total				
February 1949	99,255	13,071	1,307	113,633
January 1949	74,703	11,696	1,651	88,050
February 1948	218,616	17,661	3,497	239,774

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196	197	198	199	200

Table 14. OATS: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade  
February 1949

Date	Future					All futures
	May	July	September	December		
	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	
1949						
February						
1	2,959	445	122	81	3,607	
2	4,577	1,091	292	246	6,206	
3	3,228	550	304	228	4,310	
4	3,363	1,010	273	378	5,024	
5	2,330	573	174	138	3,215	
Sunday						
7	2,392	644	267	124	3,427	
8	6,505	1,524	677	489	9,195	
9	7,021	2,155	896	529	10,601	
10	4,137	1,144	377	304	5,962	
11	3,275	1,072	366	176	4,889	
Holiday						
Sunday						
14	4,135	1,360	815	278	6,588	
15	2,863	1,087	512	117	4,579	
16	3,088	1,043	266	79	4,476	
17	3,028	934	276	59	4,297	
18	2,299	702	336	45	3,382	
19	2,725	611	340	139	3,815	
Sunday						
21	1,713	390	137	24	2,264	
Holiday						
23	2,589	447	147	49	3,232	
24	1,550	438	212	52	2,252	
25	2,573	638	195	216	3,622	
26	1,336	518	282	15	2,151	
Sunday						
28	1,479	504	156	22	2,161	
Total						
February 1949	69,165	18,880	7,422	3,788	99,255	
January 1949	58,974	10,908	3,619	1,202	74,703	
February 1948	106,442	59,570	34,964	17,536	<u>1/218,616</u>	

1/ Total includes 104 March future.



Table 15. OATS: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets  
February 1949

Date	: Chicago : Board of : Trade	: Minneapolis : Grain : Exchange	: Other : contract : markets	: : Total
1949	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
February	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
1	24,564	3,558	336	28,458
2	23,653	3,310	346	27,309
3	23,444	3,177	342	26,963
4	23,339	3,161	364	26,864
5	23,030	3,129	366	26,525
Sunday				
7	23,078	3,075	381	26,534
8	21,790	2,833	306	24,929
9	20,779	2,543	295	23,617
10	20,901	2,590	291	23,782
11	20,462	2,619	281	23,362
Holiday				
Sunday				
14	20,454	2,524	287	23,265
15	20,725	2,545	281	23,551
16	20,768	2,580	272	23,620
17	20,519	2,632	271	23,422
18	20,722	2,594	286	23,602
19	21,138	2,630	275	24,043
Sunday				
21	20,999	2,589	264	23,852
Holiday				
Sunday				
23	21,149	2,586	271	24,006
24	21,370	2,552	279	24,201
25	21,449	2,551	264	24,264
26	21,431	2,517	269	24,217
Sunday				
28	21,632	2,488	269	24,389



Table 16. OATS: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade  
February 1949

Date	Future				All futures
	May	July	September	December	
	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1949 February					
1	16,976	5,140	1,797	651	24,564
2	16,166	5,043	1,801	643	23,653
3	15,768	5,011	1,888	777	23,444
4	15,555	4,956	1,959	869	23,339
5	15,263	4,911	1,959	897	23,030
Sunday					
7	15,414	4,800	2,026	838	23,078
8	14,149	4,628	2,050	963	21,790
9	13,162	4,460	2,123	1,034	20,779
10	13,243	4,505	2,119	1,034	20,901
11	12,879	4,454	2,088	1,041	20,462
Holiday					
Sunday					
14	12,332	4,800	2,289	1,033	20,454
15	12,385	4,936	2,381	1,023	20,725
16	12,342	4,951	2,457	1,018	20,768
17	12,043	4,941	2,522	1,013	20,519
18	12,170	4,931	2,608	1,013	20,722
19	12,390	4,966	2,739	1,043	21,138
Sunday					
21	12,271	4,957	2,732	1,039	20,999
Holiday					
23	12,387	4,966	2,764	1,032	21,149
24	12,461	5,036	2,851	1,022	21,370
25	12,661	4,954	2,884	950	21,449
26	12,534	4,985	2,967	945	21,431
Sunday					
28	12,612	5,147	2,940	933	21,632







Table 17. OATS: Daily closing prices, Chicago, Minneapolis and Winnipeg,  
and rate of exchange, Canadian currency  
February 1949

Date	1949 May future			Canadian currency	
	Chicago	Minneapolis	Winnipeg	Closing quotation	2/
1949					
February	Cents	Cents	Cents 1/	Percent	
1	69 3/4-7/8	64 3/8	65 7/8 b	7 1/16	Discount
2	68-68 1/8	62 1/2	65 b	7 1/16	"
3	68 3/8-1/2	63 1/8	65 1/2	7 3/8	"
4	67 3/8-1/2	62 1/4	64 3/4	7 3/8	"
5	67 5/8-3/4	62 1/8	63 1/2	7 3/8	"
Sunday					
7	66 3/4-7/8	61 1/4	64	7 7/16	"
8	60 3/4 a	55 1/4 a	63	7 9/16	"
9	63 1/4-1/2	57 3/8	63 3/4 b	7 5/8	"
10	65-65 1/4	59 5/8 b	64 3/4	7 3/8	"
11	66-66 1/8	60 3/8 b	65 1/8	7 3/8	"
Holiday:			3/		
Sunday					
14	68 7/8-69	63 1/4	65 1/8	7 3/8	"
15	68-68 1/4	62 1/4 a	65 b	7 7/16	"
16	68 5/8	62 5/8	65 1/4	7 3/8	"
17	68 1/2-5/8	62 3/4	65 3/4	7 1/8	"
18	67 5/8-3/4	61 7/8	65 5/8	7	"
19	66 1/4-3/8	60 1/8	65 3/8	7	"
Sunday					
21	66 5/8-3/4	60 1/4	65 3/4	7	"
Holiday:			3/		
23	67 1/4-3/8	61 5/8 a	66 b	6 13/16	"
24	67 5/8-3/4	61 7/8	66 1/8	7	"
25	68 1/2-5/8	62 1/4	66 1/2 b	6 13/16	"
26	68 1/4-3/8	62	65 3/4 b	6 13/16	"
Sunday					
28	68 1/4-3/8	62 1/4	66 1/8	6 7/8	"

1/ Quotations converted into U. S. currency.

2/ Basis for converting closing prices on foreign markets into U. S. value.

3/ Exchange rate not available: U. S. banks closed.

NOTE: Canadian currency quotations furnished by a large Chicago Bank.



Table 18. OATS: High, low and closing prices, three principal futures, Chicago Board of Trade, February 1949

Date	1949 May future			1949 July future			1949 September future		
	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing
1949									
February									
1	:70 3/8	69 5/8	69 3/4-7/8		65 3/4	65 3/4	:65 3/4	65 1/8	65 1/8
2	:69 7/8	67 5/8	68-68 1/8		63 3/4	63 7/8-64	:65 1/8	63 1/2	63 3/4
3	:68 5/8	67 1/2	68 3/8-1/2		63 1/2	64 5/8	:64 1/4	62 3/4	64 1/4
4	:69	66 3/4	67 3/8-1/2		62 1/2	63 1/2	:64 1/4	62 1/4	62 5/8-3/4
5	:67 7/8	66 3/4	67 5/8-3/4		62 3/4	63 5/8	:63 1/4	62 3/8	63 1/4
Sunday									
7	:68 1/2	66 3/4	66 3/4-7/8		63	63-63 1/4	:64 1/8	62 5/8 a	62 5/8 a
8	:67 1/8	60 3/4	60 3/4 a		57 1/8	57 1/8 a	:62 1/2	56 5/8	56 5/8 a
9	:63 1/2	57 3/4	63 1/4-1/2		53 1/4	59 3/4-7/8	:59 1/8	53 5/8	58 3/4
10	:65 1/4	63 1/8	65-65 1/4		59 1/4	60 7/8-61	:60	58 3/8	60
11	:66 1/4	63 5/8	66-66 1/8		59 1/4	60 5/8	:60 1/2	58 1/2	59 5/8
Holiday									
Sunday									
14	:69	65 3/4	68 7/8-69		60 1/8	61 7/8-62	:61	59 1/4	60 3/4
15	:69	67	68-68 1/4		59 3/4	60	:60 7/8	58 7/8	59
16	:69 1/2	67 1/4	68 5/8		59 3/8	59 3/4-7/8	:59 5/8	58 3/8	59
17	:69 3/4	68 1/8	68 1/2-5/8		59 3/4	60	:59 7/8	58 3/4	59 1/8
18	:68 3/8	67 1/4	67 5/8-3/4		58 3/4	60-60 1/8	:59 3/4	57 7/8	59 1/8
19	:67 3/8	65 3/4	66 1/4-3/8		58 5/8	59 1/8	:58 5/8	57 1/2	58 1/8
Sunday									
21	:66 7/8	65 7/8	66 5/8-3/4		58 3/4	59 1/4	:58 1/2	58	58 3/8
Holiday									
23	:68	66 5/8	67 1/4-3/8		58 7/8	59 1/4	:59	58	58 1/4
24	:67 3/4	66 3/4	67 5/8-3/4		58 3/8	59 1/8	:58 1/4	57 3/8	58
25	:68 3/4	67 1/2	68 1/2-5/8		58 3/4	59 b	:58 1/2	57 1/2	57 3/4
26	:68 7/8	67 7/8	68 1/4-3/8		58 1/2	58 7/8	:58	57 3/8	57 7/8
Sunday									
28	:68 5/8	67 7/8	68 1/4-3/8		58 3/4	59 1/4	:58 1/4	57 5/8	58



Table 19. RYE: Volume of trading, all futures combined, by markets  
February 1949

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Grain Exchange	Other contract markets	Total
1949 February	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	331	262	1	594
2	564	184	3	751
3	418	161	2	581
4	883	169	5	1,057
5	556	133	4	693
Sunday				
7	501	118	---	619
8	575	173	5	753
9	818	217	7	1,042
10	534	315	1	850
11	400	79	4	483
Holiday				
Sunday				
14	335	64	---	399
15	406	91	---	497
16	283	90	1	374
17	317	47	2	366
18	240	117	---	357
19	179	42	---	221
Sunday				
21	108	23	---	131
Holiday				
23	86	59	---	145
24	681	75	---	756
25	1,133	57	---	1,190
26	363	28	---	391
Sunday				
28	428	40	---	468
Total				
February 1949	10,139	2,544	35	12,718
January 1949	3,952	2,626	16	6,594
February 1948	---	1,290	---	1,290





Table 20. RYE: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade  
February 1949

Date	Future		All futures
	May	July	
1949 February	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	331		331
2	564		564
3	418		418
4	883		883
5	556		556
Sunday			
7	501		501
8	575		575
9	818		818
10	534		534
11	400		400
Holiday			
Sunday			
14	335		335
15	406		406
16	273	10	283
17	312	5	317
18	210	30	240
19	151	28	179
Sunday			
21	82	26	108
Holiday			
23	86	---	86
24	681	---	681
25	1,123	10	1,133
26	332	31	363
Sunday			
28	358	70	428
Total			
February 1949	9,929	210	10,139
January 1949	3,952	---	3,952
February 1948	---	---	---





Table 21. RYE: Open contracts, all futures combined, by markets  
February 1949

Date	Chicago Board of Trade	Minneapolis Grain Exchange	Other contract markets	Total
1949 February	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1	2,037	1,154	18	3,209
2	2,093	1,156	15	3,264
3	2,197	1,169	17	3,383
4	2,357	1,145	12	3,514
5	2,495	1,149	16	3,660
Sunday				
7	2,585	1,170	16	3,771
8	2,528	1,158	20	3,706
9	2,639	1,144	14	3,797
10	2,494	1,097	14	3,605
11	2,423	1,110	18	3,551
Holiday Sunday				
14	2,546	1,121	18	3,685
15	2,554	1,118	18	3,690
16	2,621	1,133	18	3,772
17	2,667	1,137	20	3,824
18	2,722	1,081	20	3,823
19	2,766	1,065	20	3,851
Sunday				
21	2,794	1,064	20	3,878
Holiday				
23	2,794	1,056	20	3,870
24	3,176	1,075	20	4,271
25	3,602	1,102	20	4,724
26	3,797	1,107	20	4,924
Sunday				
28	3,964	1,105	20	5,089



Table 22. RYE: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade  
February 1949

Date	Future		All futures
	May	July	
1949	1,000	1,000	1,000
<u>February</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>	<u>bushels</u>
1	2,037		2,037
2	2,093		2,093
3	2,197		2,197
4	2,357		2,357
5	2,495		2,495
Sunday			
7	2,585		2,585
8	2,528		2,528
9	2,639		2,639
10	2,494		2,494
11	2,423		2,423
Holiday			
Sunday			
14	2,546		2,546
15	2,554		2,554
16	2,611	10	2,621
17	2,652	15	2,667
18	2,697	25	2,722
19	2,713	53	2,766
Sunday			
21	2,716	78	2,794
Holiday			
23	2,716	78	2,794
24	3,098	78	3,176
25	3,519	83	3,602
26	3,684	113	3,797
Sunday			
28	3,821	143	3,964

100			
100	101	102	103
104	105	106	107
108	109	110	111
112	113	114	115
116	117	118	119
120	121	122	123
124	125	126	127
128	129	130	131
132	133	134	135
136	137	138	139
140	141	142	143
144	145	146	147
148	149	150	151
152	153	154	155
156	157	158	159
160	161	162	163
164	165	166	167
168	169	170	171
172	173	174	175
176	177	178	179
180	181	182	183
184	185	186	187
188	189	190	191
192	193	194	195
196	197	198	199
200	201	202	203
204	205	206	207
208	209	210	211
212	213	214	215
216	217	218	219
220	221	222	223
224	225	226	227
228	229	230	231
232	233	234	235
236	237	238	239
240	241	242	243
244	245	246	247
248	249	250	251
252	253	254	255
256	257	258	259
260	261	262	263
264	265	266	267
268	269	270	271
272	273	274	275
276	277	278	279
280	281	282	283
284	285	286	287
288	289	290	291
292	293	294	295
296	297	298	299
300	301	302	303
304	305	306	307
308	309	310	311
312	313	314	315
316	317	318	319
320	321	322	323
324	325	326	327
328	329	330	331
332	333	334	335
336	337	338	339
340	341	342	343
344	345	346	347
348	349	350	351
352	353	354	355
356	357	358	359
360	361	362	363
364	365	366	367
368	369	370	371
372	373	374	375
376	377	378	379
380	381	382	383
384	385	386	387
388	389	390	391
392	393	394	395
396	397	398	399
400	401	402	403
404	405	406	407
408	409	410	411
412	413	414	415
416	417	418	419
420	421	422	423
424	425	426	427
428	429	430	431
432	433	434	435
436	437	438	439
440	441	442	443
444	445	446	447
448	449	450	451
452	453	454	455
456	457	458	459
460	461	462	463
464	465	466	467
468	469	470	471
472	473	474	475
476	477	478	479
480	481	482	483
484	485	486	487
488	489	490	491
492	493	494	495
496	497	498	499
500	501	502	503
504	505	506	507
508	509	510	511
512	513	514	515
516	517	518	519
520	521	522	523
524	525	526	527
528	529	530	531
532	533	534	535
536	537	538	539
540	541	542	543
544	545	546	547
548	549	550	551
552	553	554	555
556	557	558	559
560	561	562	563
564	565	566	567
568	569	570	571
572	573	574	575
576	577	578	579
580	581	582	583
584	585	586	587
588	589	590	591
592	593	594	595
596	597	598	599
600	601	602	603
604	605	606	607
608	609	610	611
612	613	614	615
616	617	618	619
620	621	622	623
624	625	626	627
628	629	630	631
632	633	634	635
636	637	638	639
640	641	642	643
644	645	646	647
648	649	650	651
652	653	654	655
656	657	658	659
660	661	662	663
664	665	666	667
668	669	670	671
672	673	674	675
676	677	678	679
680	681	682	683
684	685	686	687
688	689	690	691
692	693	694	695
696	697	698	699
700	701	702	703
704	705	706	707
708	709	710	711
712	713	714	715
716	717	718	719
720	721	722	723
724	725	726	727
728	729	730	731
732	733	734	735
736	737	738	739
740	741	742	743
744	745	746	747
748	749	750	751
752	753	754	755
756	757	758	759
760	761	762	763
764	765	766	767
768	769	770	771
772	773	774	775
776	777	778	779
780	781	782	783
784	785	786	787
788	789	790	791
792	793	794	795
796	797	798	799
800	801	802	803
804	805	806	807
808	809	810	811
812	813	814	815
816	817	818	819
820	821	822	823
824	825	826	827
828	829	830	831
832	833	834	835
836	837	838	839
840	841	842	843
844	845	846	847
848	849	850	851
852	853	854	855
856	857	858	859
860	861	862	863
864	865	866	867
868	869	870	871
872	873	874	875
876	877	878	879
880	881	882	883
884	885	886	887
888	889	890	891
892	893	894	895
896	897	898	899
900	901	902	903
904	905	906	907
908	909	910	911
912	913	914	915
916	917	918	919
920	921	922	923
924	925	926	927
928	929	930	931
932	933	934	935
936	937	938	939
940	941	942	943
944	945	946	947
948	949	950	951
952	953	954	955
956	957	958	959
960	961	962	963
964	965	966	967
968	969	970	971
972	973	974	975
976	977	978	979
980	981	982	983
984	985	986	987
988	989	990	991
992	993	994	995
996	997	998	999
1000	1001	1002	1003

Table 23. RYE: Daily closing prices at Chicago, Minneapolis and Winnipeg  
February 1949

		1949 May future		
Date		Chicago	Minneapolis	
		Board of	Grain	
		Trade	Exchange	Winnipeg 1/
1949				
February	Cents	Cents	Cents	
1	150 1/8	140 1/2 a	124 1/4 b	
2	143-43 1/4	134	118	
3	141 1/2-3/4	133 1/2 a	120 1/8	
4	135	129	111 5/8	
5	130 1/2-31	124 b	110 5/8	
Sunday				
7	129 b	122	106 5/8	
8	119 a	112 b	99	
9	126	122 b	108	
10	132 1/2	129 b	112 1/8	
11	133 1/2	128 3/4 b	110 1/8	
Holiday			2/	
Sunday				
14	136	130 3/4	112 1/2	
15	131 1/2-32 1/2	127 1/2	109	
16	130 1/2	124 1/2	109	
17	128 1/4	124 a	106 3/4	
18	128 1/2 a	124 1/2	106 7/8	
19	126 1/4 a	121 1/4 a	106	
Sunday				
21	127 1/2 a	122 3/4 b	106	
Holiday			2/	
23	128 3/4	124 1/2 a	106 1/2 b	
24	129	125 1/4 b	107 b	
25	130 b	126 3/4 b	108 3/8	
26	129 1/4	125 3/4	107 3/4 b	
Sunday				
28	132	127	110 1/2 b	

1/ Quotations converted into U. S. currency.

2/ Exchange rate not available: U. S. banks closed.

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Table 24. RYE: High, low and closing prices, Chicago Board of Trade  
February 1949

Date	1949 May future			1949 July future		
	:High	Low	Closing	:High	Low	Closing
1949	:			:		
February	:Cents	Cents	Cents	:Cents	Cents	Cents
1	:156 3/4	150	150 1/8	:		
2	:149 1/2	143	143-43 1/4	:		
3	:145	141	141 1/2-3/4	:		
4	:143	134	135	:		
5	:133 3/4	130	130 1/2-31	:		
Sunday	:			:		
7	:134 1/4 b	129	129 b	:		
8	:130 1/2	119	119 a	:		
9	:127 1/2 b	115	126	:		
10	:132 1/2	128	132 1/2	:		
11	:133 1/2	128	133 1/2	:		
Holiday	:			:		
Sunday	:			:		
14	:137	131	136	:		
15	:137	131 1/2	131 1/2-32 1/2	:		
16	:132 1/2	128 3/4	130 1/2	:129	129	129
17	:132 3/8	128 1/4	128 1/4	:130	128 1/4 a	128 1/4 a
18	:129 3/4	126 3/4 a	126 1/2 a	:127 b	123	127 b
19	:127 3/4	125 1/2	126 1/4 a	:126 b	124 a	124 a
Sunday	:			:		
21	:128	127	127 1/2 a	:---	---	125 1/4 a
Holiday	:			:		
23	:130 1/2	128 3/4	128 3/4	:---	---	126 1/2 a
24	:130	127 1/4	129	:---	---	126 1/2 b
25	:130	126 1/2	130 b	:127 1/2 b	127	127 1/2 b
26	:130	128 1/4	129 1/4	:126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Sunday	:			:		
28	:132 1/4	129 1/2	132	:130	128	130
	:			:		



Table 25. SOYBEANS: Volume of trading, Chicago Board of Trade  
February 1949

Date	Future			All futures
	March	May	July	
1949	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
February	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
1	10,840	4,820	722	16,382
2	11,662	6,155	1,001	18,818
3	7,708	4,312	801	12,821
4	8,987	4,335	605	13,927
5	5,498	3,065	425	8,988
Sunday				
7	6,902	3,699	502	11,103
8	6,256	3,670	891	10,817
9	10,821	6,215	1,743	18,779
10	5,688	3,266	777	9,751
11	4,608	2,297	580	7,485
Holiday				
Sunday				
14	6,593	4,022	842	11,457
15	7,098	6,859	1,384	15,341
16	5,194	4,327	898	10,419
17	5,364	5,085	1,358	11,807
18	3,669	3,138	647	7,654
19	2,907	1,795	356	5,058
Sunday				
21	2,416	1,396	270	4,082
Holiday				
23	4,442	4,092	745	9,279
24	3,206	2,867	593	6,666
25	2,576	3,829	623	7,028
26	1,621	3,310	643	5,574
Sunday				
28	3,824	4,557	442	8,823
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Total				
February 1949	126,080	87,131	16,848	232,059
January 1949	146,194	54,332	12,804	213,330
February 1948	2,141	1,897	525	<u>1/4,575</u>

1/ Includes 12 November future.

NOTE: Trading in Soybeans on the Chicago Board of Trade during February 1949 amounted to approximately 98 percent of all trading in this commodity.

# Table 1. The results of the analysis of variance for the effect of the treatment on the yield of the different components of the plant.

I. The effect of the treatment on the yield of the different components of the plant.				
Treatment	Yield of the plant	Yield of the roots	Yield of the stems	Yield of the leaves
Control	100	100	100	100
1. 100 mg/l	105	105	105	105
2. 200 mg/l	110	110	110	110
3. 300 mg/l	115	115	115	115
4. 400 mg/l	120	120	120	120
5. 500 mg/l	125	125	125	125
6. 600 mg/l	130	130	130	130
7. 700 mg/l	135	135	135	135
8. 800 mg/l	140	140	140	140
9. 900 mg/l	145	145	145	145
10. 1000 mg/l	150	150	150	150
11. 1100 mg/l	155	155	155	155
12. 1200 mg/l	160	160	160	160
13. 1300 mg/l	165	165	165	165
14. 1400 mg/l	170	170	170	170
15. 1500 mg/l	175	175	175	175
16. 1600 mg/l	180	180	180	180
17. 1700 mg/l	185	185	185	185
18. 1800 mg/l	190	190	190	190
19. 1900 mg/l	195	195	195	195
20. 2000 mg/l	200	200	200	200

The results of the analysis of variance for the effect of the treatment on the yield of the different components of the plant are shown in Table 1. The yield of the plant, roots, stems, and leaves all increased with increasing treatment concentration. The highest yield was obtained with the 2000 mg/l treatment.

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Table 26. SOYBEANS: Open contracts, Chicago Board of Trade  
February 1949

Date	Future			All futures
	March	May	July	
1949	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
February	bushe ls	bushe ls	bushe ls	bushe ls
1	12,647	9,460	2,723	24,830
2	12,398	9,040	2,615	24,053
3	12,149	8,986	2,581	23,716
4	11,595	8,398	2,608	22,601
5	11,289	8,103	2,582	21,974
Sunday				
7	10,967	7,764	2,555	21,286
8	10,438	7,353	2,582	20,373
9	9,557	7,269	2,615	19,441
10	9,240	7,364	2,725	19,329
11	9,269	7,642	2,792	19,703
Holiday				
Sunday				
14	8,939	7,558	2,993	19,490
15	8,971	8,148	3,192	20,311
16	8,592	8,113	3,217	19,922
17	8,417	8,246	3,070	19,733
18	8,295	8,370	3,208	19,873
19	8,067	8,422	3,209	19,698
Sunday				
21	8,125	8,619	3,256	20,000
Holiday				
23	8,027	9,002	3,318	20,347
24	7,639	9,667	3,371	20,677
25	7,412	9,985	3,368	20,765
26	7,206	10,065	3,655	20,926
Sunday				
28	6,614	10,315	3,685	20,614

NOTE: Open contracts in Soybeans on the Chicago Board of Trade during the month of February 1949 accounted for over 99 percent of all futures contracts outstanding in this commodity.











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